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CITY OF KINGSPORT	2005	2009	2010	Change (between 2005 and latest available data)	Change 2009-2010
Unemployment Rate*	6.8%	9.1%	8.2%	1.4%	-0.9%
Construction Value*****	\$66,809,260	\$69,721,295	n/a	4.4%	
Population	44,114	44,758	**	1.5%	
Labor Force*	18,900	18,850	19,340	2.3%	2.6%
Employed*	17,620	17,130	17,760	0.8%	3.7%
Not in labor force	25,214	25,908	n/a	2.8%	
Retail Sales***	\$1,245,600,000	\$1,239,600,000	****	-0.5%	

Unemployment (U.S., State, Metro & County Data)*	2005	2009	2010	Change 2005-2010	Change 2009-2010
Bristol (TN), City of	4.4%	6.9%	7.7%	3.3%	0.8%
Carter County	4.7%	9.8%	9.3%	4.6%	-0.5%
Cleveland, City of	7.3%	9.9%	8.9%	1.6%	-1.0%
Greene County	7.0%	14.3%	12.4%	5.4%	-1.9%
Hawkins County	4.7%	10.3%	8.6%	3.9%	-1.7%
Johnson City MSA	4.4%	9.1%	8.4%	4.0%	-0.7%
Johnson City, City of	4.3%	8.5%	8.2%	3.9%	-0.3%
Kingsport-Bristol MSA	4.5%	9.1%	8.2%	3.7%	-0.9%
Maryville, City of	6.9%	9.0%	7.4%	0.5%	-1.6%
Morristown, City of	7.4%	14.7%	12.0%	4.6%	-2.7%
Oak Ridge, City of	4.2%	8.6%	7.7%	3.5%	-0.9%
Sullivan County	4.2%	8.8%	7.6%	3.4%	-1.2%
Tennessee, State of	4.9%	10.3%	9.2%	4.3%	-1.1%
Tri-Cities CSA	4.5%	9.1%	8.3%	3.8%	-0.8%
U.S. unemployment	4.8%	9.5%	9.2%	4.4%	-0.3%
Washington County	4.1%	8.6%	8.0%	3.9%	-0.6%

<sup>\*</sup>Month of September 2010 (released in October 2010)

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